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VALUABLE NEWS FROM NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Important Happenings and Personal Items Contributed by THE CITIZEN'S Corps of Correspondents.

SOUTH STERLING.

H. A. Lancaster was born Sept. 24, 1824, and died Sept. 20, 1910. He lived to be a good old age and he did lots of good all his life.

USWICK & LAKEVILLE.

The farmers in this vicinity have nearly all finished threshing and are now digging their potatoes and doing other jobs such as going to the grist mill, cider press, etc.

Joseph Bogad, who has been spending a few weeks with John Schlemper for his health, returned to New York city on Monday, having been benefited by the change of air.

Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Purkiss of Lakeville spent Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Mains at Uswick.

The L. A. S. will meet with Mrs. William Seegar at Lakeville on Wednesday, Sept. 28.

Mrs. Scheibl and her daughter, Miss Sophia, of New York arrived Thursday last at Uswick. They are the guests of C. R. Sanders and wife and expect to return home Friday after a week's sojourn among the hills of Wayne county.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and son of Scranton, motored to Waymart where they visited Mr. Swingle, Mrs. Miller's brother, and from there to Uswick and visited Mrs. John Mains.

Mrs. Miller's sister arrived Saturday and returned home Sunday. A woman from Hawley is spending a week with Mrs. John Ruescher at Uswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Williams and two sons of Harpersville, N. Y., have been visiting the former's sisters, Mrs. H. W. Clark, of Paupack and Mrs. Charles Loring of Hamlin. They called at the Williams homestead now owned by F. R. Olmstead as they were motoring on their return trip on Friday last.

L. M. Bittner of Audell is sick again. Remember the fair next week.

BEACH LAKE.

Our town seems to be settled down to a restfulness since the W. C. T. U. convention. It is estimated that about three hundred from the county attended the convention.

A few boarders are still at the various boarding houses.

Mrs. Emma Wheeler is visiting relatives at Rochester, N. Y.

Miss Edna Oliver, a graduate nurse from the Seney hospital of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Oliver.

Miss Nettie Loomis of Arno is visiting relatives here.

Miss Luella Tamblin and brother, Edson, of Dallas, Pa., are visiting friends and relatives here.

POULTRY HOUSES.

So many conditions must be considered in building poultry houses that each individual must in the end plan his own house. However, the plans here suggested, for which no especial originality is claimed, will, with slight modification, meet a wide variety of needs.

The essential requirements of a poultry house are comfort for the attendant and convenience for the fowls. It should be dry, well lighted and well ventilated. It is not necessary that it be warm.

Ventilation is usually secured by open windows or muslin-covered openings. Perches should be as far back from the front as possible, and immediately next to the tight rear wall.

Dirt floors are cheapest, and if properly elevated and drained, are probably best for the comfort of the fowls. Double board floors with slaters felt between are warm, dry and comfortable. If properly elevated, rats will not be able to establish themselves underneath.

When single board floors are used, slaters felt should be laid over the joists before putting down the boards. Cement floors are expensive, and are apt to be cold and damp. They often furnish ideal conditions for harboring rats.

All poultry houses should have tight walls. Rough boards may be used and covered with roofing paper or shingles, or grooved siding may be used with slaters felt back of it. Windows should not be provided in excess of real need. About one square foot of glass to 15 square feet of floor space is sufficient.

A Piano-Box Brooder House—Nearly every farm needs a few small houses that may be equipped with brooders or used for brooding hens. They are especially useful where there is reason to fear snakes, or rats and other enemies.

The cheapest way of providing these houses is by utilizing piano boxes. One way of constructing such a house is to lay the box flat on its back and remove the entire top. The sides should then be extended, mak-

ing the house about 5 feet high in front and 2 feet in the rear with a floor nearly 6 feet square. The top should be hinged at the front so that it can be raised when desired. The front should have a small door for the chicks and a large combination door and window about 2 1/2 feet wide and 3 feet high, covered with muslin and netting and hinged at the top. The material for this house should not cost more than \$5.

Colony Houses—Where a larger house is desired in which the attendant can stand erect, the gable colony house is very popular. These houses are built on runners, are 6 or 6 1/2 x 8 feet and about 7 1/2 feet high at the comb. This house may be supplied with detachable hovers, or indoor brooders. When the chicks no longer need the hovers they are removed and the houses then make ideal quarters for growing stock. Small flocks of laying hens may be kept in them when not occupied by chicks. Built of grooved siding this house will require about 350 feet of lumber. It should not cost over \$16.00 if well painted it will require no roofing.

A Four-Section Brooder and Laying House—It is easier to attend to a number of brooders under one roof than scattered in several houses and larger houses can be used to better advantage when wanted for laying flocks. A house 8x12 feet will accommodate four brooders or hovers, and if built on runners can be moved to new ground readily when desired. If built with plain inch boards and covered with roofing paper, it will require 750 feet of lumber. The cost for material will be about \$35. It will take a little more lumber if grooved siding is used, but there will be little difference in the cost.

A House for Fifty Hens—A house for fifty hens should be about 12x15 feet. It can be most easily and economically constructed with a shed roof, the rear being 5 feet high and the front about 7. Two 12-light windows should be provided, with a 3x5 feet opening between them. This should have a muslin shutter for use in extreme weather. The door should be in front or on the east side. The house with dirt floor, can be constructed for \$40, No. 1 grooved siding being used.

HARMONY IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Platform Drawn by Progressives is Accepted at Convention.

Concord, N. H., Sept. 28.—The Republican state convention was as harmonious a gathering as ever assembled in the state.

The platform as drawn by the progressives and submitted to a conference of the two factions was satisfactory except one plank which called for the nomination of United States senators by direct vote. This was stricken out in the interest of harmony.

It indorses the Taft administration "in carrying out in such larger measure the policies inaugurated by Theodore Roosevelt," declares for the creation of an interstate commerce and customs court, demands tariff reform "in conformity with the national platform of 1908," favors the national forest reserve bill, demands "effective conservation of natural resources," favors the establishment of a parcels post and commends the recent changes in the rules governing the national house.

KILLED ON WAY TO WIFE.

Man With Medicine Run Down In Fog by Train.

Elizabeth, N. J., Sept. 28.—While returning home with medicine for his sick wife, Anthony Gillet of First avenue, Roselle, was struck and killed by a Philadelphia express, New York bound, on the Central railroad. A fog cut off his view and he was unable to see the fast train approaching.

News of his death is being kept from his wife owing to her grave condition.

Mother of Premier Briand Dead.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The mother of Premier Briand died suddenly here.

CO-EDS PUT OUT BLAZE.

Girls at Syracuse University Fight Blaze in Their Kimonos.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Fire started in the basement of Haven hall, a girls' dormitory at Syracuse university, and two score of co-eds, most of them attired in kimonos, fought and extinguished the blaze with hand grenades.

The damage was slight.

ROOSEVELT WINS.

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legislation the workman who is crippled, and the family of the workman who is killed in industry are compensated, so that the loss necessarily incident to certain industries shall be equitably and fairly distributed instead of being placed upon the shoulders of those not able to bear them.

"We should at once introduce in this state the system of direct nominations in the primaries so that the people shall be able themselves to decide who the candidates shall be, instead of being limited merely to choosing between candidates with whose nomination they have had nothing to do."

Gruber in assailing Roosevelt said in part:

"Twelve years ago on this platform I warned a Republican convention against turning the executive mansion into a shooting gallery. My advice was not heeded. Since that memorable day the man who has ever since been shooting has seen his party organization divided in every state, his party's candidates overwhelmingly defeated, business depressed and the intelligent and honest workman without employment and hungry.

"Looking for other fields for shooting practice, this man is now shooting at the courts and judges.

"But, Mr. Chairman, this is not a new symptom. It is an old disease. This apostle of derring-do practice while he was president abused Judge Humphrey of the United States court, a gentleman and honest man, for rendering a decision which was made according to the law and which to this day is unreversed.

"Workmen of the United States, do you recall that when Haywood and Moyer were on trial for their lives this same shooter, with all the power of the president of the United States, held up the leaders of labor as 'undesirable citizens'?"

"A French king once said, 'I am the state.' No sane man may ever say, 'I am the United States.' The homes of the country are not yet deserted for the railroad station. The lungs of the country are not its brains. Men who a few months ago believed now disbelieve, men who worshipped then now execrate, and throughout the country the business men as such are facing panic and lovers of their rights and liberties are fearing revolution.

"When given power to shoot the trusts he drew a line between the good ones and the bad ones. The steel and sugar trusts were the good ones; those which would not help along the shooter's political schemes were the bad ones. And now those who cry 'Live let rot' are good Republicans, and those who are putting patriotism above all else and therefore will not join the cry are bad Republicans.

"Fellow citizens of New York, has the correspondence with Harriman passed from your minds? While the firm was Roosevelt, Harriman and Roosevelt were engaged in a joint plan to get money, and in writing the senior member of the firm assured Harriman that they were both practical men and had better keep the partnership under cover. Harriman supplied his share of the capital, and I now wish to protect his memory. He was not a practical man, but a confiding and very much duped come-on."

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BOOTH CAPTOR SUICIDE.

Soldier Who Helped Catch Lincoln's Slayer Kills Self.

Newark, N. J., Sept. 27.—Through the suicide of an old soldier here another name has been added to the roll of tragedies which have marked the end of several persons connected with the assassination of Abraham Lincoln and the capture of his slayer, John Wilkes Booth. The name is that of John F. Shanley.

Shanley was one of the men who captured Booth. He also had an interesting civil war record.

REGISTER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the accountants herein named have settled their respective accounts in the office of the Register of Wills of Wayne County, Pa., and that the same will be presented at the Orphans' Court of said county for confirmation, at the Court House in Honesdale, on the fourth Monday of Oct. next—viz:

First and final account of Azuba J. Mandeville, administrator of the estate of Lucy A. Decker, Hawley.

First and final account of C. W. Menk, administrator of the estate of Lotto Menk, Texas.

First and final account of Z. A. Wonnacott, administrator of the estate of George W. Leonard, Waymart.

First and final account of C. W. Menk, administrator of the estate of Julia Gressman, Texas.

First and final account of Reinhard F. Warg, guardian of August Newman, Annie Newman, Christina Newman, and Mary Newman, minor children of Peter Newman, Hawley.

Second and final account of E. A. Penniman, executor of the estate of F. B. Penniman, Honesdale.

First and final account of John T. Brooking, executor of the estate of Rosina A. Mills, Mount Pleasant.

First and final account of Edward W. Lake, executor of the estate of Warren Lake, Mount Pleasant.

First and final account of Mary J. Weeks, executrix of the estate of Emma W. Harvey, Berlin.

First and final account of May A. Plum and Helen B. Rowland, executrixes of the estate of Jane McKown, Hawley.

First and final account of Emma Nevin, administratrix of the estate of Bernard Nevin, Dreher.

First and final account of Betsey A. Tarbox, guardian of Eveline Tarbox, Scott township.

First and final account of Susie L. B. Hoover and A. B. Stevens, M. D., executors of the estate of Susan Sutton, Lake.

First and final account of Dora Bryant, administratrix of the estate of Samuel Bryant, Canaan.

First and final account of George M. Dibble, administrator of the estate of Hutchenson McMurray, Starucca.

First and final account of Jacob Gardiner, administrator of the estate of Mary C. Reynolds, Scott.

First and final account of Johanna Hoff, executrix of the estate of Henry Hoff, Cherry Ridge.

Second and final account of Nellie Woodward, administratrix of the estate of C. H. Woodward, Hawley.

Menner & Co. have got a splendid assortment of goods this fall. It is worth your while to call and look them over. Prices are very low.

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is yet young but it has helped many ambitious persons on the road to independence and success.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas, the Judge of the several Courts of the County of Wayne has issued his precept for holding a Court of Quarter Sessions, Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery in and for said County, at the Court House, to begin on

MONDAY OCT. 24, 1910,

and to continue one week;

And directing that a Grand Jury for the Courts of Quarter Sessions and Oyer and Terminer be summoned to meet on Monday, Oct. 17, 1910, at 2 p. m.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the Coroner and Justices of the Peace, and Constables of the County of Wayne, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at said Court House, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said 17th day of Oct. 1910, with their records, requisitions examinations and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and those who are bound by recognizance or otherwise to prosecute the prisoners who are or shall be in the Jail of Wayne County, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Honesdale, this 28th day of Sept. 1910, and in the 191st year of the Independence of the United States

M. LEE BRAMAN, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office Honesdale, Sept. 28, 1910. 7784

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Value of 10 bushels of wheat in March, 1910, and in March, 1896, when measured by the wholesale prices of the following staple articles.

Table with 4 columns: Article, Unit, 1910 March, 1896 March. Lists various commodities like Coffee, Rice, Sugar, etc.

\*With \$1.47 remaining.

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